STAGE III

Edwards Aquifer Trigger Levels*

660' Stage I 650' Stage II

640' STAGE III IS IN EFFECT

630' Stage IV

During Stage III, The Following Mandatory Restrictions Are In Effect

* Critical Period Water Rates Went Into Effect at Stage I and remain in effect until all stages are lifted.

Under STAGE III, you are authorized <u>ONE DAY A WEEK</u> on which to water your lawn based on the last digit of your address (applies to residential and commercial customers).

IF THE LAST DIGIT OF	THEN YOU CAN	
YOUR STREET ADDRESS IS	IRRIGATE ON	
0 OR 1	Monday	
2 OR 3	Tuesday	
4 OR 5	Wednesday	
6 OR 7	Thursday	
8 OR 9	Friday	

- * On your ASSIGNED DAY, you may irrigate with a sprinkler only between 3:00 am to 7:00 am in the morning and 8:00 pm to 10:00 pm in the evening. Hand watering is allowed any day but only during the hours listed above. These restrictions apply to newly installed lawns and they apply to soaker hoses used in place of a sprinkler
- * DRIP IRRIGATION for purposes of stabilizing moisture around a building foundation or to water a vegetable garden or shrubbery may be done at any time.
- * NON-COMMERCIAL WASHING of autos, trucks, trailers, boats and other private equipment may be done only on designated watering days using a hose equipped with a positive shut-off nozzle or with hand-held bucket. Water must not run off the property into street.
- * COMMERCIAL WASHING of autos, trucks, boats, trailers and other equipment shall be limited to immediate premises of a commercial washing facility equipped with a water-recycling unit.
- * RESTAURANTS may serve water only upon request.
- * ORNAMENTAL FOUNTAINS or similar structures cannot be operated unless they recycle/reuse water. Potable water can not be used to make-up lost water.
- * The use of MAKE-UP WATER for existing private and public swimming pools, hot tubs, and other similar facilities is permitted. Refilling an empty existing pool and filling of new swimming pools and other similar facilities and activation of new sprinkler systems is prohibited unless a waiver is granted by the Water District.

Stage III restrictions continue until the EAA announces that Stage III has been upgraded to Stage IV because the aquifer dropped to or below 630 feet or Stage III has been cancelled because the aquifer has remained above a rolling 10 day average of 640 feet for 30 days.



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The Citv of Windcrest Drought Management and Water Conservation Plan (Windcrest City Ordinance No. 547) restricts water use based on specific levels of the Edwards Aquifer or Comal Springs or San Marcos Springs. Stage III was declared by the Edwards Aquifer Authority on August 15, 2012 after the ten day rolling average water level at J-17 fell below 640 feet. imposes Edwards Aquifer Authority the stages at the trigger levels shown at the upper left. If you wish to follow the aquifer and spring levels, they are reported every day in the San Antonio Express - News newspaper on the last page of the sports section. They are also reported on television and radio Aquifer's the web page, www.edwardsaquifer.org.

Local information on watering restrictions specific to Windcrest can be found at www.bexarcountywcid10.com

and www.windcrest-tx.gov.

Remember during Stage III, Landscape Watering is only allowed between 3:00 AM to 7:00 AM and 8:00 PM to 10:00 PM. Hand Watering is allowed any day but only between 3:00 AM to 7:00 AM and 8:00 PM and 10:00 PM with a hand-held hose or bucket no bigger than five gallons. Water waste is prohibited at all times. Water waste includes, but is not limited to, allowing water to fall or run off into a gutter, ditch, street or drain; fall or run off onto another person's property; or failing to repair a controllable leak.

Call 655-2666, Ext 2210

Or 655-2888 to report water waste or violation of the City's water ordinance. Help keep the Aquifer level above the critical level.

* Spring Flow At San Marcos And Comal Springs Take Precedence Over Well J-17 If Flow Rates Fall Below Specified Levels.